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CIA Is Accused By Castro Foe

Miami, Fla., July 17 (AP) —

Manuel Ray accused the Central Intelligence Agency today of forcing his ouster as head of the People's Revolutionary Movement (MRP), the major anti-Castro underground organization inside Cuba.

"... The Central Intelligence Agency of this country has been actively endeavoring to divide and weaken the MRP," Ray said in a statement.

Ray said the man chosen recently by the movement's leaders in Cuba to succeed him came over from Havana and met with CIA agents last Wednesday.

"They insisted that the first problem that had to be solved, in order for the MRP to receive financial assistance it needs to continue fighting, is the ouster of Coordinator-General Manuel Ray," the statement said.

"The objective of such assistance is not, we know, our person, but rather to bring about the natural disintegration of a movement that will not accept being controlled by anything other than the sentiments and aspirations of the Cuban people."

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